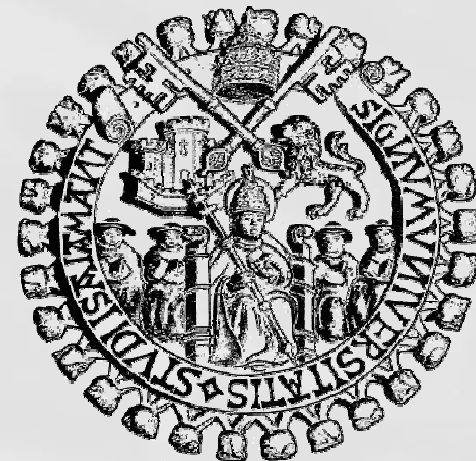


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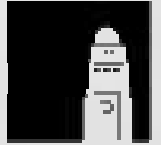
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# Salamanca IV

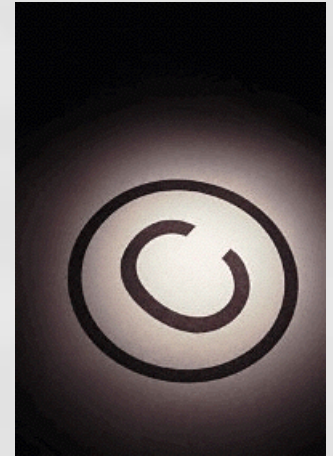


- seminar on Legal Translation
  - 21-25 February 2011
- 20 participants (9 international organisations)
- 8 student interpreters
- funding difficult
- Salamanca V in planning (February 2012)



- two workshops
  - 28 March – 1 April 2011
- Machine Translation Evaluation and Corpus Use
- English Enhancement for Arabic and Chinese-Speaking Conference Interpreters working into English
- career evening

# Intellectual Property



- seminar
  - 6 May 2011
- pilot project
- idea originated in UCG meeting 2010
- feedback very positive
- repetition planned – invitations normal way

# Other mandate activities

- Continuous Professional Development database
  - version 2011 on the website
- Survey of universities offering training in Arabic
  - 3 replies out of 192
  - second attempt to be undertaken
    - better targeted

# Other discussions during the annual meeting

- awareness raising
- meeting UN MoU universities May 2011
- adding more universities to the UCG?
  - not grow too big
- traineeship database
  - first version ready to be published

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# Mandate 2011-2012

***To act as liaison point for the further development of relations and co-operation between International Organizations and training providers***

- Maintain and supplement the CPD database
- Continue, replicate and report on specific joint IO/university training activities
- Continue to support activities to raise awareness of the language professions
- Prepare the second round of the survey of universities offering training in Arabic
- Collect examples of training opportunities offered by IOs for university graduates